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Serial No.: 10/002,096  
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Title: Interleaver having Gires  
Tournis resonator  
Examiner: Lee A. Fineman  
Group Art Unit: 2872  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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June 05, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement, dated May 05, 2003 Applicant respectfully  
responds as follows:

Remarks

The Examiner has required a restriction to one of the following inventions:

Species I - Single-stage Interleaver as shown in FIG. 1

Species II - Two-stage Interleaver as shown in FIG. 3

Species III - Three-stage Interleaver as shown in FIG. 5

Species IV - Folded Two-stage Interleaver as shown in FIG. 7

Species V - Folded Three-stage Interleave as shown in FIG. 9.

Applicant elects, without traverse, to continue prosecution of the claims associated with  
Species II, which Applicant has identified as Claims 1-21, drawn to Two-stage Interleaver as  
shown in FIG. 3.

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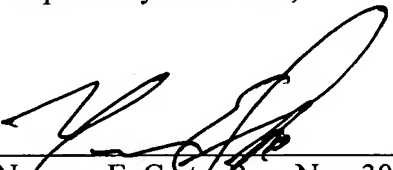
In connection with applicant's election of prosecution Claims 1-21, applicant has canceled Claims 22-27.

Further examination and early passage to issue are respectfully solicited.

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Respectfully submitted,

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